The MARYLAND GAZETTE.

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STOCKHOLM, October 12.

THE Iron Mine at Diſtröp in the Weſtern Nencia, which after 150 Years Diſuſe was re-opened in 1759, was entirely cleared for Working laſt Auguſt. At the Depth of 120 Ells the Body of a Man was found, who had periſhed there, and who according to Tradition, was named David. He had a Woollen Doublet, Breeches of Leather, Woollen Stockings and Shoes. The Brain was white and ſoft. The Teeth were firm, and in their Places; and the Body had the Property of Iron. The Proprietor of the Mine cauſed the Body to be placed in a Coffin, and it was interred the 26th of Auguſt. It was carried to the Grave by eight of the Miners, and followed by forty others.

Liſbon, October 20. Senhor Dom John returned the 9th Inſtant with his Squadron, after having been at Gibraltar, and cruized ſome Time upon the Coaſt of Sallee. He ſtaid nine Days at Gibraltar, and expreſſed great Satisfaction at the particular Attention and Politeneſs with which he was received by the Governor and the whole Garriſon.

This Week arrived a ſmall Fleet of four Merchant Ships from Pernambuca, and a Fleet of Two and Twenty Sail of Merchant Ships under Convoy of one Man of War, from the Bahia; the Cargo of theſe laſt conſiſt of Four Thouſand Eight Hundred Roles of Tobacco, and about Two Hundred Thouſand Pounds in Gold.

Waterford, October 20. We can aſſure the Public, that the Inſurrections of the White Boys are quelled in this Part of the Country.

L O N D O N, October 28.

They write from Liſbon, that in digging up the Foundation of an old Palace burnt down in the late Fire, the Workmen found an Urn containing Three Hundred Gold Medals of the Emperor Titus, which appear to have been ſtruck ſoon after that Prince's laſt ſucceſsful Expedition againſt the Jews, having this Inſcription, TITO VESPASIANI AVGVSTI FILIO, JVDÆIS SUBACTIS.

His Royal Highneſs the Duke of Cumberland's Horſe King Herod, beat the Duke of Grafton's Antonius for a Thouſand Guineas. The Betts on this Occaſion are ſaid to have amounted to more than a Hundred Thouſand Pounds. The Difference that determined this enormous Sum was no more than Half a Neck's Length. His Royal Highneſs, whoſe Life was tho't in Danger, is greatly recovered. An Inciſion was made in his Leg, juſt under the Knee, and a ſurprizing Quantity of Matter diſcharged, but the Wound is now healed.

We hear Commiſſions are come over from Jamaica to ſhip by the firſt Opportunity, Goods proper for the Spaniſh Market, to the Value of 90,000 l.

Oct. 31. The Advices received from America, are full of the bad Effects of the late Act of Parliament for regulating the Trade of the Plantations, and for laying a Duty on their Exports and Imports in order to defray the Expences of their own Government. The Prohibitions lain upon their Trade by this Act, are grievouſly complained of, and the Rigour with which theſe Prohibitions are enforced by the Men of War ſtationed on their Coaſts for that Purpoſe, are by no Means reliſhed by the Americans, who ſubſiſt in a Manner by their clandeſtine Commerce with the French and Spaniards, and which muſt be connived at, if any Advantage is to be expected from them by their Mother Country. On the other Hand, the Weſt-Indians complain of this Indulgence, and are preparing Memorials to be preſented to Parliament, to put a ſtop to the North-American Diſtilleries, from French Materials.

They write from Glaſgow, that great Numbers of Journeymen lately employed in the Stocking Manufactures, and buoyed up with high Proſpects of Encouragement made them by ſome American Agents, have embarked this Summer for Boſton and Philadelphia; where it is ſaid Four new different Branches in the Weaving Buſineſs have been already ſet up.

Nov. 1. We hear an additional Duty will ſoon be laid on the foreign Importation of Hemp, Hempſeed and Flax, particularly from Ruſſia and the Baltick; great Quantities, the Growth of our own American Colonies, being expected over early in the Spring.

Commiſſions are come over from New-York, for Implements of Huſbandry and Gardening, to the Amount of 5000 l. to be forwarded with all Speed.

By a private Letter from Newmarket we are informed, that his Royal Highneſs had taken Cold on Friday laſt, which occaſioned an Inflammation and Swelling in his Throat, but that having been bled, his Royal Highneſs was much better, and his Leg was as well as could be expected.

It is now ſaid, that for very prudential Reaſons, never leſs than five Regiments on the Britiſh Eſtabliſhment will from henceforth be kept in Commiſſion in the Province of New-York, Pennſylvania and New-England. It is expected, that Penſacola in Florida, and two Britiſh Iſlands in the Weſt-Indies, will ſpeedily be declared free Ports.

We hear a Liſt of all ſuch Goods as are hereafter to be deemed Contraband in any of the Colonies of North-America, are now making out, and will be ſent over by the next Packet; according to which his Majeſty's Sea and Land Officers, Collectors of the Cuſtoms, are to regulate their Conduct with Regard to all future Seizures.

Extract of a Letter from a Gentleman in Virginia, to his Friend in this City, Sept. 4.

"There is the ſame dull Round of Buſineſs purſued as uſual; the Courts are filled with Law-ſuits, and many People are obliged to ſell their Eſtates. Melancholy and Uneaſineſs are viſible in moſt Countenances, and happy is the Man that can keep his Effects together. Tobacco is low, and Grain of all Sorts much fallen; from whence then is to come our Relief? It can happen, in my Opinion, only from the ſtricteſt Frugality in our Affairs. Hemp and Flax are the two Objects that are looked on, as if they would deliver us; and ſo they may in a great Meaſure, but ſomething elſe is neceſſary."

It is ſaid that the Sum of 30,000 l. will be granted next Seſſions for the better rendering the Baſon of Penſacola one of the beſt Receptacles for Trade and Shipping on the Britiſh American Continent.

It has been a Queſtion among the Learned in France, whether the Heat from a Chimney, or from a Stove, is moſt wholeſome? M. Mongin, a French Phyſician maintains, that the ferrugineous Heat from Stoves penetrating through the whole Maſs of circumambient Air in the Room, muſt unavoidably affect the Head; and that the Intenſity of that Heat rarifies the Air in the Room to ſuch a Degree as to be ſuffocating; and occaſions us to breathe a hot, fuliginous, and unelaſtick Air, which produces Palpitations of the Heart, Aſthmas, habitual Qualms, Head-achs, Laſſitudes, &c. Upon the Whole, he concludes, that the Heat from a Chimney is more wholeſome than that from a Stove.

The Faculty at Paris have at laſt determined the great Queſtion relating to Inoculation, by a Plurality of 52 Voices againſt 25, in Favour of that Practice.

A curious Medal has lately been ſtruck at Stockholm, in Honour of Inoculation; it repreſents an Altar of Eſculapius, with a Serpent twiſted round it; the Motto, SUBLATO JURE NOCENDI.

In the laſt Meeting of the Aſſembly held at Charleſtown, South-Carolina, his Honour Lieutenant Governor Bull, who in all his Actions appears another Pitt, being truly actuated with the Spirit of Patriotiſm, ſtrongly recommended to their ſerious Conſideration, the pernicious Conſequences of encouraging the farther Wear or Importation of French Manufactures, and it is thought a Law will be paſſed at the next general Meeting to lay the Practice entirely aſide.

Mr. Lloyd, an eminent Merchant in Georgia, has lately imported ſeveral Thouſand Plants of the Logwood Trees from Honduras, in order for Cultivation on the River Savannah. Thoſe already planted thrive well, and ſeem to promiſe that in a few Years Great-Britain may be ſupplied with this uſeful Dye from her own Colonies, in ſufficient Quantities to anſwer all the Purpoſes of Manufacture.

At a Village in Jutland, called Borglum, a Peaſant's Wife, was brought to Bed of the 29th Child, all born alive.

The Circulation of Copper Money in N. America, has for ſome Months paſt been increaſing in Proportion as that of their Paper Currency has been called in. Some Tons of Farthings are now ordered in Commiſſion from Philadelphia and New-York, for the Benefit of ſmall Change in the Retail Trade; which, it is thought, will ſoon occaſion a new Dye at the Tower.

They write from Madrid, that his Catholic Majeſty is determined, at whatever Expence, to promote the ART OF PRINTING within his Dominions; for which Purpoſe he has ſettled handſome Penſions upon ſeveral Gentlemen (both Printers and Letter-Founders) who are engaged in the forwarding that noble Art, ſo unſpeakably beneficial to Mankind.

Nov. 6. Some Letters from Great Poland ſay, it is aſſerted there, that the King of the Romans, and the King of Poland, are to marry two Siſters, Princeſſes of Saxony, Daughters of Auguſtus III. late King of Poland.

His Highneſs Prince William (next Brother to the Duke of York) will ſoon be created Duke of Lancaſter, and have his Houſhold ſettled.

On Thurſday laſt the 1ſt Inſtant, John Wilkes, Eſq; had Sentence of Outlawry pronounced againſt him at the Sheriff's County Court in Holbourn, by the Sheriff, Coroner, and other Officers.

It is ſtrongly reported, that an Embargo will be laid on the Exportation of Proviſions to foreign Parts, excepting thoſe for his Majeſty's Service, till the Meeting of Parliament.

It is ſaid that a grand Promotion of Officers, both in the Land and Sea Service, will ſhortly be made.

By recent Letters from the [illegible], there is Advice, that [illegible] Sugar Works have been erected in that Iſland by Britiſh Subjects ſince the Peace.

A Gentleman lately arrived from Dunkirk ſays, that though the Superficials of the Works are demoliſhed, the Foundations are

[illegible] within theſe three Ports under low- [illegible] Maſt; and he counted ſome large ſtore-houſes, containing the Materials of the greateſt Conſequence, taken from thence.

About a Month ſince, an eminent Counſellor in one of the Inns of Court, embarked with a young Lady, Siſter to a Member of Parliament, in order to make the Tour of France: On the Road, the Lady was taken very ill, and a Phyſician being ſet for, after ſome Enquiry, he found her to be in Labour, and adviſed a proper Perſon to be called, which ſo alarmed the Gentleman of the long Robe, that he left the Lady abruptly, and is not yet returned to England.

Tueſday laſt his Royal Highneſs the Duke of York was pleaſed to expreſs great Satisfaction, at ſeeing Mr. Thomas Betts's Glaſs-Mill, at Lewiſham in Kent; it is the firſt of its Kind that has ever been erected, and is a Means of making great Improvements in that Art.

The Glatton Eaſt-Indiaman, arrived from China, has brought home, among a Variety of other Goods, 651,600 Pounds of different Sorts of Tea, 12 Cheſts, 71 Half-Cheſts, and a Box of China Ware beſides. On Tueſday the above Ship arrived in the Downs, and failed immediately for the River.

It is ſaid that two great Perſonages have very lately ſignified their Intention of wearing nothing but what is of true Britiſh Fabric; in order to diſcountenance, as much as poſſible, all foreign Manufactures in this Kingdom.

Nov. 10. We are informed, an Eſtimate of the Civil Eſtabliſhment of each of the Britiſh Colonies in North America is now making out in order to be preſented to Parliament.

It is ſaid a new Academy, in the Manner of that at Woolwich, is to be endowed at New-York, for the future training up young Gentlemen in the Art of Engineering, and ſupplying the Artillery of that and the neighbouring Provinces, without being under the Neceſſity of being obliged to have freſh Draughts from the Royal Artillery of England.

We are informed a Scheme for impoſing a general Stamp Duty in North America is now finiſhed, upon a new Plan, againſt the enſuing Seſſions; the Profits to be applied for the better Security and Defence of the Colonies.

If our Colonies, from any Diſguſt or any Reſtraints that have been laid on their Commerce, ſhould take it in their Heads to raiſe amongſt themſelves, all ſuch Goods and Manufactures as they are wont to be ſupplied with from England: Of what Uſe or Benefit will they be to this Kingdom? This would be a moſt *ſevere* Blow to our Trade and Commerce, and therefore it is to be hoped, ſome Remedy will be immediately found out and applied.

By a Ship arrived at Briſtol from Africa, there is Advice, that Brick-Makers are much wanted by the Factory at Senegal, where there are already in that Neighbourhood ſeveral Brick-kilns; but, though the Clay is good, for want of proper Perſons ſkilled in the Buſineſs, they cannot go on ſo vigorouſly in erecting Forts and other publick Works and Magazines, as could be wiſhed, and ſome late Movements of the French on the Coaſts of Guiney ſeem to require.

Extract of a Letter from Hamburgh, October 19.

"By our laſt Accounts from Peterſbourgh, we learn, that the Empreſs had put off, for ſome Weeks longer, her return to that Capital. Some extraordinary Councils have been held upon Affairs of the laſt Importance to the Peace and Proſperity of the Empire. The bad State of Health in which the grand Duke has been, for ſome Time paſt, has been the principal Subject of theſe Deliberations. It is ſaid, that his Highneſs labours under a conſumptive Diſorder, which gives little or no Hopes of his Recovery, and that his Phyſicians begin to deſpair of the Succeſs of their Remedies. The Senate, duly informed of this, have [illegible] the Empreſs to take ſuch Meaſures as her Wiſdom and Prudence muſt naturally dictate on this critical Occaſion, and have expreſſed their Deſire that her Imperial Majeſty would, conformable to the Laws and Conſtitutions of the Empire, name a Succeſſor to the Imperial Throne in Caſe of the Demiſe of the Grand Duke."

We are informed another Regiment of Foot will ſoon embark for New York.

We are informed, a Bill to encourage the Growth of Oak, and *for* the better preventing any future Waſte of the national Stock of Timber in this Kingdom, is now ready for the Inſpection of Parliament.

Samples of Cinnamon, Gum Copal, wild Mace, and Caſſia, the Growth of St. Vincent, in the Weſt-Indies, have been lately imported, which is ſaid to equal the beſt from the Eaſt-Indies.

They write from Paris, that the Chevalier de Turgot, Governor General of Guiana, ſailed from Rochelle the latter End of laſt Month, on board the La Bricole Man of War, of 50 Guns, accompanied with another Ship of War of 60 Guns, with all Sorts of Proviſions. He has taken only 300 Soldiers, but a very great Number of Troops will ſoon follow.

Imported Yeſterday 150,000 ℔. Pearl-aſhes from Trieſte, 190 Tons, 265 Ditto Iron from Ruſſia, 416 Cwt. Sugar, 1900 Gallons Rum from the Weſt-Indies. Exported, 40 Tons Lead for India, 140 Cwt. Ditto for Hamburgh, 2889 ℔. Indigo for Ireland, 1600 ℔. Gunpowder for Carolina, ſundry Merchandizes, to the Amount of 10,5000 l. for Jamaica, and 143 Cwt. Lead for the Weſt-Indies.

The new commercial Regulations in North America are complained of as grievous to the Colonies. Every King's Ship is a Guarda-Coſta, and every Cargo of the American Product is deemed prohibited Goods. Flour, Bread, ſalt Proviſions, Lumber, Fiſh, live Stock, Poultry, fram'd Rafters, Iron Work, Cooperage Stores, &c. are Commodities always welcome to the French and Spaniards, by the Exportation of which the Planters in America are enabled to make their Remittances to England, and for which they receive in return from the French and Spaniards either Money, or Rum, Sugar and Treacle at 30 per Cent in their Favour; if, therefore, this Traffic is prohibited, the Colonies muſt be ruined, and the Mother Country, by that Means, loſe the only gainful Branch of Trade by which her Manufactures are principally ſupported.

A moſt affecting Letter has appeared in the Papers from Capt. Summers, Commander of an American Veſſel from New-London for Dominica with Horſes, Lumber, Fiſh and Onions, but, happening in hazy Weather to fall in with Martinique, was boarded by a Guarda-Coſta, his Ship ſeized, himſelf and Men ſtript and impriſoned in a Dungeon among Negroes and Felons, the Veſſel and Cargo confiſcated, the Owners fined, and the Captain charged with the Expences of Confiſcation; which not being able to pay, he has remained in that miſerable Situation ſix Months.

On Saturday the 13th ult. 23 French Hair-dreſſers, 19 Milliners, 17 Cooks, &c. landed at Union Stairs from France!

On the 21ſt ult. Died the Rev[d]. Mr. Rob, Ordinary of Newgate.

The 26th ult. Died William Hogarth, Eſq; the celebrated Painter.

As much has been lately ſaid of the People on the Continent of America ſetting up Manufactures at this Time, to rival Ours, it may not be amiſs to obſerve, that this is no new Complaint; and we have it from the beſt Authority, that in 1719, when Col. Shute was Governor of Maſſachuſetts-Bay, in New-England, he informed the then Board of Trade, that in ſome Parts of the Province the Inhabitants then worked up their Wool and Flax, and made a coarſe Sort for their own Uſe; there were [illegible] Hatters in the Maritime Town; they alſo manufactured the greateſt Part of their Leather; and that ſix Iron Furnaces and ten Forges were ſet up for making Iron. Governor Belcher, who ſucceeded him in 1731, confirms the ſame; and Col. Dunbar, Surveyor-General, of his Majeſty's Woods in North-America, in his Letter to the ſame Board, of Sept. 1730, mentions their manufacturing and exporting Hats to Spain, Portugal, and the Weſt-Indies. And the above Col. Dunbar concludes his Account with obſerving to their Lordſhips, "That it is with the greateſt Difficulty we "are able to procure true Information of the "Trade & Manufactures of New-England; "which will not appear extraordinary, when "we acquaint your Lordſhips, that the Aſ-"ſembly of the Maſſachuſetts-Bay had the "Boldneſs to ſummon Mr. Jeremiah Dun-"bar, Deputy Surveyor of the Woods, be-"fore them, and paſs a ſevere Cenſure upon "him, for having given Evidence at the Bar "of the Houſe of Commons of Great-Britain, "with Reſpect to the Trade and Manufac-"tures of this Province."

Nov. 11. It is now ſaid, in order to prevent Impoſitions and needleſs Expence, no future Indian Chief or Black, from Africa or America, will be countenanced in London, who do not bring over proper Certificates, ſigned by their Nation and back'd by the Britiſh Governor, ſetting forth the Reaſons of their Expedition; and whatever Captain, either in the Navy or Merchant's Service, importing ſuch, without theſe Vouchers, will be liable for the Expence.

We hear that a Memorial, being preſented by the Earl of Hertford to the French Court, ſetting forth the illegal Proceedings of the Governor of Goree, in attempting to eſtabliſh a Settlement near the River Gambia, in Africa, that Court has declared its Diſapprobation of his Proceedings, and he is recalled to give an Account of his irregular Behaviour.

It is now reported, that a Negotiation with his Excellency the Count de Gourchy for the intire Purchaſe of New Orleans and the French Part of Louiſiana to England, is on the Carpet and far advanced.

Letters from Holland mention, that the improved Skill, and Military Diſcipline of the Forces under Coſſim Aly Caun, has been diſcovered to be, in a great Meaſure, owing to the Number of Europeans now in his Pay, particularly French, Spaniſh, and Dutch Officers, whom that Tyrant has drawn over by large Rewards, and high Promiſes. Four Engineers, late of Pondicherry, are ſaid to have 1000 Rupees per Month; and to Armourers, Gunſmiths, Sword-cuttlers, and other Perſons ſkilled in the Conſtruction of military Weapons, he gives 500 Rupees Bounty.

Great Numbers of new Muſkets, Horſe Piſtols, &c. are every Day proving at the Eaſt-India Company Warehouſes, near White-chapel Road. It is ſaid Thirty Thouſand Stand of Fire-Arms will be ſhipt among their other military Stores for Bengal.

We are aſſured the People in Power are ſo fully convinced that the Reſtriction on the Commerce of the North American Colonies is ſo materially prejudicial to the Public, that the Veſſels ſtationed in thoſe Parts to ſee it enforced, have been told a Negligence in their Duty will not be thought very culpable, till the Law is repealed at the next Seſſion of Parliament.

'Tis ſaid ſome Amendments will be made next Seſſions, in the Laws relating to Bankrupts, and that none will be allowed to have Certificates ſigned, but ſuch only as can make full and ample Proof of Loſſes at Sea, by Fire, Storm, or Tempeſt, Inundations, or the Failure of Perſons in their Debt, or for whom they were Securities, or for ſome other notable and apparent Cauſe, wherein neither Negligence, Extravagance, nor Fraud, did appear.

It is rumour'd, That the King has been Defrauded of Fifteen or Twenty Thouſand Pounds Sterling, of his Revenue in America; and that Governor G——bs, of Anguilla, and another G——r (of as good a Character) upon that Continent, are beſt acquainted with the Affair.

We are informed that the late Mr. Bonner, of Field-Lane, who dealt in Sheep-heads, amaſſed very near 10,000 l. in that low Occupation.

Portſmouth, October 21. We hear that 20 old Men in our Dock-yard have been diſcharged lately, on Salaries of 20 l. per Annum.

We likewiſe hear that the Labourers, that have been diſcharged from the Duty of watching in the Dock-yard, have half the pay of the above Duty continued to them.

Dublin, October 13. We are well informed, that Mr. Richard Brewer, of this City, (who took his Paſſage laſt Week in the Kildare, Capt. M'Cullough, for Parkgate) is actually gone to London, to ſollicit a Patent from his Majeſty, for inſtituting a Quadrant of his own Invention, which is formed on Principles ſo accurately and admirably adapted as to be ſaid infinitely to ſurpaſs any Conſtruction of that Kind, that ever was known. It is likewiſe affirmed, that he alſo intends to exhibit a Plan, on an entire new Syſtem, for the effectual Diſcovery of the Longitude.

B O S T O N, *December* 24.

Tueſday laſt arrived in Nantaſket Road the Fortune Sloop of War, Capt. Biſhop, from Hallifax: On her Paſſage ſhe met with ſuch ſtormy Weather that the Crew were obliged to throw over 5 of her Carriage, and all her Swivel Guns; the Cold was ſo ſevere that, we hear, none of the Officers, except the Captain, were able to ſtand the Deck.

The Cygnet Frigate, Capt. Leſlie, bound from hence to New-London, is put into Rhode-Iſland, having been out 14 Days. She met with very bad Weather, in which her Pinnace was waſhed off the Deck.

His Majeſty's Ship Maidſtone's Tender, which was ſuppoſed to have been loſt, is now at Salem.—She has been in great Diſtreſs, but got in the 13th Inſtant, then a hard Gale at N. W—. They were obliged to bring to, the 25th of laſt Month, at 6 in the Morning.—The Gale continued very hard two Days and three Nights, without any Alteration but that of a great Sea.—The Night of the 26th it laid her down ſo much that her Ballaſt ſhifted—the Mainſail filled with Water, and as the Sea made a Breach over her, it filled the Foreſail, with Difficulty they cut away the Mainſail and Boom, which righted her a good deal, and then trimmed the Hold.—They judged themſelves in Lat. 37-00.

We have Advice that the French are ſettling, with 4000 Perſons, a Colony at a Place call'd the Triangles, a little to Windward of Surrinam: They claim as far Weſtward as the River Mariwina, Part of which Claim is within a few Leagues of ſome Dutch Plantations.—This Procedure of the French very much alarms their good Friends the Dutch, who have ſent an Expreſs to the States with an Account of this Affair, and another to the Commander of this new French Colony, to know the Reaſon of their forming this Settlement.—This Step is the more alarming on Account of the great Number of wild Negroes on the Back of the Dutch Plantations, who, tho' at Peace now, may perhaps be made the ſame Uſe of againſt the Dutch, as the Indians on this Continent have been againſt the Britiſh Settlements.

H A R T F O R D, *January* 1.

We hear from Sharon, that a Girl of that Place, Twelve Years old, and ſmall of her Age, was a few Days ago delivered of a Son, weighing when it was born, near Fourteen Pounds, and that the Mother and Child are likely to do well. A rare Inſtance of the prolific Conſtitutions of the Country.

We hear from Saliſbury, that a few Days ago, as a Man was going up a Pair of Stairs with a Bag of Salt on his Shoulder, he accidentally ſlipt, and broke one of his Legs ſhort off, but being immediately aſſiſted by a very able Surgeon, he could walk again within 24 Hours as well as uſual. [*This* ABLE SURGEON *was doubtleſs* A CARPENTER, *as we ſuppoſe it was a* wooden Leg *that was broke.*]

P H I L A D E L P H I A, *January* 24.

On Sunday laſt Captain Fiſher, late of the Sloop Sally, arrived here by Land from North-Carolina. He ſailed from Penſacola for this Place the 20th of October, but met with a hard Gale of Wind, in which his Veſſel ſprung a Leak, and made ſo much Water, that they were obliged to keep both Pumps going. The 24th they made the Iſland of Cuba, and plying to Windward, the Sloop ſprung her Maſt, and receiving other Damage, on the Fourth of November went aſhore on the Colerades, having her Rudder knocked off, and five Feet Water in the Hold; the People then took to the Boat, and arrived at the Havannah the 12th of November.

We learn from New-York, that the Packet was blown off the Coaſt about a Month ago, when, it was feared, a Ship and Sloop were ſeen to ſink.

A N N A P O L I S, *February* 7.

We are ſtill clogg'd up with Ice, not having had ſo much continu'd hard Weather for many Years; but it ſeems to begin to break away.

Monday laſt, a very merry Set of Gentlemen, had a commodious Tent erected on the Ice between the Town and *Greenbury*'s Point, where they had an elegant Dinner, *&c. &c.* and in the Afternoon diverted themſelves with Dancing of Reels, on Scates, *&c.*

About a Fortnight ago, Died in *Charles* County, much regretted, Mr. JOHN TRUEMAN STODDERT, one of the Repreſentatives of that County.

By a Paragraph in the 3[d] Column of the firſt Page of this Paper, our Readers will ſee, that we are like to have TONS OF MONEY ſoon imported into *North-America*; a great Part of which we may reaſonably expect will center in *Maryland*, as long as we continue to take TWELVE ENGLISH COPPER HALF-PENCE for A SHILLING. This is a growing Evil, and if not ſoon put a Stop to, muſt be of bad Conſequence. Will any Creditor take 1000 Dozen of Coppers, for a Debt of 50 Pounds, reckoning Dollars at 7/6? NO.

ANNAPOLIS, February 6, 1765.

To be SOLD *at* PUBLIC VENDUE, *by the Subſcriber, on Wedneſday the* 13*th Day of* March *next, at* XII *o'Clock, at the Houſe of Mr.* Reynolds *in* Annapolis, *agreeable to the Laſt Will and Teſtament of Col.* Benjamin Taſker, *Deceaſed,*

ONE FIFTH SHARE of the BALTIMORE IRON-WORKS, conſiſting of a FURNACE, Two FORGES compleat, and another FORGE now Erecting; together with One Fifth Share of all the LANDS, IMPROVEMENTS, NEGROES, CATTLE, and Other STOCK, belonging to the ſaid WORKS. Time will be allowed for Payment of Half the Money, if the Purchaſer deſires it, upon his giving good Security for paying the ſame with Intereſt. Any Perſon inclined to purchaſe, or deſirous to ſee the ſaid Works, or to receive any Information concerning them, may apply to Mr. *Clement Brooks*, the Manager.

BENJAMIN TASKER.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Edward Buckley*, near *Rock-Creek* Church, taken up as Strays,

A dark Dun Horſe, near 15 Hands high, branded on his Shoulders and Buttocks with the Letter O, has a white Spot in his Forehead, ſome Saddle Spots on his Back, is a natural Pacer, and ſhod all round. And,

A dark Bay Mare, about 13 Hands high, has a white Spot in her Forehead, ſome Saddle Spots, paces naturally; but no Brand perceivable.

The Owner or Owners may have them again, on proving Property, and paying Charges.

IF HENDRICK [illegible], who lately came Paſſenger in the [illegible], Capt. [illegible], from *Rotterdam*, to *Pataſco River*, in this Province, be Alive, and will apply to *Thomas Jones*, in *Baltimore-Town*, he will hear of Something to his Advantage.

BY Virtue of a Writ of *Fieri Facias*, to me directed, from the Commiſſioners or Truſtees of the Paper Currency Office, againſt the Lands and Tenements of Col. *Thomas Lee*, late of *Prince-George*'s County, deceaſed, to pay and ſatisfy unto the ſaid Office, the Sum of Two Hundred Pounds Current Money: Notice is hereby given, that, on Wedneſday the 20th Day of *March* next, at the Houſe of Mr. *Arthur Charlton* in *Frederick-Town*, betwixt the Hours of II and IV in the Afternoon, there will be ſet up to public Sale, A Tract of LAND called *Swadland*, lying near the Mouth of *Seneca*, where *Benjamin Mackall* now lives, containing 150 Acres, more or leſs; that, at the Return of the Writ, I may have the Money ready, as I am commanded.

GEORGE MURDOCK, Sheriff
(3w) of *Frederick* County.

THERE is in the Jail of this City, an able-bodied Convict Servant Man, who has about Six Years to ſerve. He was put into Jail, becauſe he was too Refractory to be manag'd by his preſent Maſter, but may, under proper Diſcipline, turn out a valuable Servant. Any Perſon living remote from this Town, may have him, on paying the Charge of this Advertiſement, and the Priſon Fees. Enquire at the *Printing-Office*.

To be SOLD *by* PUBLIC VENDUE, *at the Houſe of Mr.* John Orme, *in* George-Town, *in* Frederick *County, on the Tenth Day of May next,*

PART of Two Tracts of valuable LAND, lying in the *Sugar Lands* in *Frederick* County; one of which is called *Preſton's Marsh*, the other called *Sugar Bottom*, adjoining each other, and Tenanted out.

ALEXANDER CUMMING,
NINIAN EDMONSTON.

TWENTY POUNDS REWARD.

BROKE out of *Anne-Arundel* County Jail, the Two following Perſons, who were committed for Horſe-Stealing:

John Ferrell, about 5 Feet high, wears his own Hair, and is about 22 Years old.

Dennis Ferrell, about 20 Years of Age, has black Hair, about 5 Feet 4 Inches high, and of a dark Complexion.

Whoever takes up and ſecures the ſaid Fellows, ſo that the Subſcriber may have them again, ſhall receive the above Reward, or Ten Pounds for either; and if brought to *Annapolis*, reaſonable Charges will be allowed.

JOSEPH GALLOWAY, Sheriff.

STRAYED or STOLEN from the Subſcriber, about the 8th of *November* laſt, a bright Bay Mare, about 13½ Hands high, a Star in her Forehead, and branded on the near Buttock T B. She had with her a ſucking Horſe Colt, a dark Bay, with a Snip on his Noſe.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Mare and Colt, and brings them to the Subſcriber near *Bladenſburg*, ſhall have Forty Shillings Reward, paid by

JOHN BENNINGER.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Jeremiah Spiers*, at *Seneca*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a ſmall Dun Mare, about 13 Hands high, a Star in her Forehead, a Snip on her Noſe, is Hip ſhotten, branded on the near Shoulder ſomething like f D and a Blotch over them, is a natural Pacer, and Nine Years old. She had on a large Bell, mark'd I I.

The Owner may have her again, on proving his Property, and paying Charges.

THERE is in my Cuſtody, committed as a Runaway, a Man about 5 Feet 6 Inches high, clad in a blue Coat, red Jacket, and Breeches, a Scar in his Forehead, is a very ſimple Fellow, pretends to be a Schoolmaſter, and is ſuppoſed to be the Man advertiſed by Mr. *Charles Ridgely*, the 10th of *November* laſt.

His Maſter is deſired to take him away, and pay Charges.

JEREMIAH JORDAN, Sheriff
of *St. Mary's* County.

THE Subſcribers beg Leave to inform the PUBLIC, That they have lately Erected, at *BALTIMORE-TOWN*, in MARYLAND, A DISTILLERY for making RUM; which, (by many good Judges who have ſeen it) is allowed to be one of the largeſt, compleateſt and beſt conſtructed STILL-HOUSE of any in NORTH-AMERICA: And having furniſhed themſelves with an expert DISTILLER, and a plentiful Stock of MOLASSES, they purpoſe to carry on the DISTILLING BUSINESS extenſively, and to ſupply conſtantly the Demand for Home-made RUM, at nearly the ſame as the *Philadelphia* Prices, at leaſt on much lower Terms than the Province of MARYLAND has been generally ſupplied with that Article. The RUM already made by them has been highly approved by the beſt Judges, and deemed ſuperior to either *Philadelphia* or *New-England* RUM; and they hope to give Satisfaction to the Public, as well as maintain their own Reputation, by continuing to make always of the ſame approved Quality.

As this Undertaking is ſo well calculated to promote the general Trade of the Province, and ſo convenient for ſupplying the Country Traders, Farmers, &c. who bring their Produce to *Baltimore* Market, as well as to promote the private Emolument of the Owners; it is hoped the Public will give proper Encouragement to a Branch of Trade ſo uſeful, and ſo much wanted in the Province.

Any Gentleman wanting Quantities of RUM for Exportation, by giving timeous Notice may be ſupplied, and proper Allowance made to ſuch,

Their humble Servants,

SAMUEL & ROBERT PURVIANCE, & Comp.

ALL Perſons Indebted to the Subſcriber, on Bond, Note of Hand, or Book Account, are requeſted to come, ſettle and pay their reſpective Ballances, on or before the firſt of *April* next, or they may expect to be Sued and Warranted, without further Notice.

JOSEPH COWMAN.

THERE is at the Plantation of *Thomas Beatty*, junior, near *Monockaſy*, in *Frederick* County, taken up as a Stray, a Bay Gelding, of a middle Size, with four black Feet, dark brown Legs, a black Broom Tail, black Mane, ſome grey Hairs in his Forehead, is ſhod before, and branded on the near Shoulder thus I O. He had on a ſmall Bell, mark'd T M in Dots.

To be SOLD by the Subſcriber in Annapolis,

A LIKELY Country-born NEGRO LAD, about 15 Years of Age; a Servant Man, who has about 6 Years to ſerve, by Trade a Barber, Peruke-Maker, and Hair-Dreſſer; and a Parcel of old Sails. Time will be given for the Payment of the Money, on giving Security if required, and paying Intereſt.

EDMUND RUTLAND.

Calvert County, *January* 7, 1765.

RAN away from the Subſcriber, living near *Prince-Frederick-Town*, on the firſt Day of *October* laſt, a Negro Man named *London*, about 35 Years of Age, and about 5 Feet 7 Inches high, of a yellow Complexion, ſtammers in his Speech, if examined ſtrictly, bow legg'd, and when he talks, one Corner of his Mouth ſtands awry, and is a Cooper and Carpenter by Trade. Whoever takes up the ſaid Negro, if in the County aforeſaid, and brings him to the Subſcriber, ſhall receive Forty Shillings Reward: If taken 30 Miles from home, Five Pounds: And if out of the Province, Seven Pounds, and reaſonable Charges.

(tf) ROBERT FREELAND.

AS I am come to a Reſolution to decline the Buſineſs of TAVERN KEEPING in a very ſhort Time, in order to wind up my Affairs; I give this public Notice to all thoſe who are Indebted to me, either by Bond, Note, or open Account, to come and diſcharge the ſame at or before *March* Court enſuing, as no longer Indulgence will be given. My ſole Motive for this preſſing Requiſition, is, from a real Deſire I have to make good my Engagements to thoſe Gentlemen whom I correſpond with; therefore I hope I may not be compelled to make uſe of any further Arguments with my good Cuſtomers for their Compliance. (6w) HENRY GASSAWAY.

THE Subſcriber has now opened his TAN-YARD at UPPER-MARLBOROUGH, and will take in HIDES to TAN againſt the Middle of *March*, at the following Rates, *viz.* Sole Hides at Five Shillings, Upper Ditto Tann'd and Curried at Eight Shillings each Hide. As they will be Tann'd whole, without Sliting, they can be cut out to more Advantage in Shoes, or any other Uſe. He will give Ready Caſh for Hides and Skins of all Kinds. He has for Sale a Parcel of Goat-Skins, which make exceeding good Chair Bottoms; alſo ſome Shoes and Check Handkerchiefs, at the loweſt Rates. (tf) THOMAS ALLAN.

Port-Tobacco, January 14, 1765.

THE Subſcriber intending to decline keeping PUBLIC-HOUSE on the firſt of *May* next, deſires all Perſons Indebted to him, to ſettle their Accounts, by Caſh, Tobacco, or Bonds, by the Fifteenth of *March* next; otherwiſe he will be neceſſitated, in his own Defence, to oblige them; and all thoſe who fail, may depend on being Sued or Warranted, as the ſeveral Debts require (without Reſpect of Perſons); which will be very diſagreeable to

Their very humble Servant,

(tf) BENJAMIN PHILLPOTT.

Pork, Wheat, or Corn, will be taken in Pay, if brought by the Tenth of *February*.

Annapolis, December 10, 1764.

TAKEN out of Mr. *Middleton*'s Houſe, on Friday laſt, a brown Drab Great Coat, pretty much worn, ſplit at the End of the Sleeves, and ſeveral Buttons gone off the Breaſt.

The Perſon, in whoſe Poſſeſſion it may be, can't do leſs than return it from whence he took it, which will greatly oblige the Owner.

AS the Copartnerſhip of THOMAS RICHARDSON and COMPANY is now Diſſolved, all Perſons Indebted to the ſaid Company, are deſired to call at their late Store in *Church-Street, Annapolis*, and pay off their reſpective Ballances; and thoſe whoſe Accounts are now ſtanding open in their Books, are deſired to call and ſettle the ſame, by giving Bond and Security, if required; for which longer Indulgence will be given. And thoſe who neglect to comply with ſo moderate a Requeſt, may depend on being Sued without Loſs of Time.

(6w) THOMAS RICHARDSON & Comp.

THE BUSINESS, as uſual, is carried on at the late Store of *Thomas Richardſon* and Company, where may be had all Kinds of *European* and *Eaſt-India* GOODS: Cables, Running Rigging, Anchors, Sail Duck, and all Kinds of Ship Chandlery Ware: Likewiſe, *Weſt-India* Rum by the Hogſhead, old *Madeira* Wine by the Pipe or Hogſhead, and Molaſſes by the Hogſhead, on very reaſonable Terms.

(6w) STEWART & RICHARDSON.

TO BE SOLD,

A TRACT of LAND adjoining to the Town of *Nottingham*, on *Patuxent* River, in *Prince-George's* County, called *Beanes's Paſture*, containing 220 Acres; whereon is a new Dwelling-Houſe 28 by 26 Feet, finiſhed in a very neat and convenient Manner; a new Kitchen 20 by 16 Feet, (under which is a ſmall Stone Cellar); and a Stable. About Half the Tract is fine hard Marſh, which may eaſily be improved to very great Advantage: The other Part is very level, and of a good Soil: The Situation is very convenient for either a Merchant or Tavern Keeper. Alſo a Lot of Ground in the Town of *Nottingham*, whereon is a very good Stone-Houſe 30 Feet ſquare, with a good Store Room, Lumber Room, Compting Room, with a Brick Chimney thereto, and a Lodging Room, on the firſt Floor: Above Stairs there is Three good Rooms, compleatly finiſhed, and in good Repair; there is alſo a good Cellar under the Houſe, the full Size thereof, with Three convenient Rooms therein. The Whole to be Sold together, or ſeparate, as the Purchaſer chooſes, for *London* Bills of Exchange, Sterling or Current Money, upon very reaſonable Terms.

All Perſons Indebted to the Eſtate of *Colmore Beanes*, late Deceaſed, are deſired to ſettle and diſcharge their reſpective Ballances by the Tenth Day of *February* next; otherwiſe they may depend on being Sued and Warranted, without Reſpect to Perſons.

(tf) WILLIAM BEANES, junior, Executor.

TO BE SOLD.

ONE Hundred Acres of Land near *Linganore*, in *Frederick* County, called SPARROW'S REQUEST, whereon ſome Improvements are made, and Capt. *David Dennis* now Lives.

For Terms apply to the Subſcriber at Mr. GREEN'S, in *Annapolis*.

THOMAS SPARROW.

MR. CHARLES WALLACE having given me up his Buſineſs of STAY-MAKING, and furniſhed me with a compleat Aſſortment of GOODS for carrying it on; I hereby give Notice to his Cuſtomers and Others, who ſhall pleaſe to Employ me, That their Orders for STAYS will be Executed in the beſt Manner; and as the Buſineſs cannot be carried on but at a great Expence, I hope they will always contrive me the Money as ſoon as poſſible, after receiving the Stays, as I ſhall allow a conſiderable Abatement in the Price, for prompt Pay, or Three Months Credit.

(tf) JOSEPH FOARD.

ALL Perſons who are Indebted to *Leonard Spencer*, Eſq; of *Liverpool*, for Dealings either with Himſelf, or with his late Factors in *Maryland*, are deſired to pay their reſpective Ballances to the Subſcriber, who is properly authoriz'd to receive the ſame.

It is hoped that ſuch Perſons as can pay directly, will, from a Conſideration of the long Indulgence they already have had, make a Point of doing it. And thoſe whoſe Circumſtances are ſuch as to require ſtill ſome further Time, muſt (if they chuſe to avoid being Sued and Warranted) come to the Subſcriber at *Piſcataway*, and ſettle their Accounts to his Satisfaction, otherwiſe they may depend on Severity being uſed.

I have remaining on Hand for Sale, Fifteen Crates of Flint Stone Ware, conſiſting of Diſhes and Plates, Tea Ware, Mugs, Bowls, &c. &c. Four Tierces of Bottled Beer, about Ten Hundred Weight of *Britiſh* Refined Sugar, from 15*d.* to 2/6 *per* Pound, and 20 Dozen of Mens Leather and Womens Stuff Shoes, neat and faſhionable; which I will ſell at a reaſonable Rate, for Caſh or Tobacco. (tf) W. SYDEBOTHAM.

RAN away about the Middle of *September* laſt, from the Subſcriber's Plantation beyond *Elk-Ridge*, a Country-born Mulatto Fellow called *Sam*, as he lived ſeveral Years on *Poplar Iſland*, he is known to moſt People who have uſed the Bay; he is about 5 Feet 10 Inches high, has a long crooked Noſe, one of his Hands has been burned by Gunpowder, he is much given to Liquor, and when Drunk is very talkative and quarrelſome; he was ſeen at Mr. *Blake*'s Quarter about 8 Weeks ago, where he told them he was going towards *Choptank*, and ſhould paſs for a Freeman.

Whoever takes up the ſaid Slave, and delivers him to the Subſcriber, ſhall receive Five Pounds Reward. All Skippers, and Maſters of Veſſels, are forewarned carrying him off at their Peril; and in Caſe he ſhould be carried off, any Perſon giving Information thereof, ſhall, upon Conviction of the Offender, receive THIRTY POUNDS Reward. (tf) CHA. CARROLL.

RAN away from the Subſcribers, in the City of *Annapolis*, on Sunday the 21ſt Day of *October* laſt, a Convict Servant Man named *John Clark*, a Blackſmith by Trade, born in the Weſt of *England*, much pitted with the Small-Pox, and has a large Sore on his Right Leg, which occaſions him to be lame, and his Leg much ſwell'd; he is about 5 Feet 9 Inches high, round ſhoulder'd and ſtoops in his Walk, is a luſty Fellow, and wears his own Hair, which is black and curls, full faced, and black Eyes; he is about 27 Years of Age. Had on when he went away, a new Felt Hat, white Shirt, blue Fearnought Jacket, and light colour'd Cloth Under-Jacket, a Pair of new Buckſkin Breeches, black Worſted Stockings, and a Pair of grey Yarn ditto, and Country made Shoes; but as he is an artful Villain, he may have procured other Cloathing. It is ſuppoſed he went away in Company with a free Woman, who ſerved her Time with Dr. *John Stevenſon* in *Baltimore-Town*, and perhaps they may paſs for Man & Wife.

Whoever ſecures the ſaid Servant, ſo that he may be had again, ſhall receive TEN POUNDS Reward, paid by

ISAAC HARRIS,

(tf) JONATHAN PINKNEY.

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